

# FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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Marketing  
Service

DATE: January 15, 2003

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 5,446,000 pounds of chicken and chicken products at a cost of approximately \$2,575,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

<b>Product</b>	<b>Pounds</b>	<b>Awarded Prices Inv. No. 16</b>	<b>No. of Bids Accepted</b>
cut-up chicken	760,000	\$0.4950-\$0.5299	2 of 6
batter/breaded chicken	78,000	\$1.2950	1 of 1
chilled bulk pack (small)	540,000	\$0.4633-\$0.4675	2 of 2
chilled bulk pack (large)	3,996,000	\$0.4420-\$0.4775	6 of 7
chilled bulk pack (drumsticks)	72,000	\$0.2290	1 of 2

Total purchases of chicken and chicken products since the program was announced on May 13, 2002, follow:

<b>Product</b>	<b>Cumulative Pounds</b>	<b>Cumulative Dollars</b>
cut-up chicken	15,040,000	\$ 8,162,000
batter/breaded chicken	8,697,000	\$11,551,000
chilled bulk pack (small)	10,260,000	\$ 4,562,000
chilled bulk pack (large)	67,140,000	\$30,069,000
chilled bulk pack (thighs)	540,000	\$ 129,000
chilled bulk pack (drumsticks)	396,000	\$ 92,000

Next offers under Announcement PY-259 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
17	cut-up chicken, batter/breaded chicken, chilled bulk (small, large, and parts)	Jan. 27	Jan. 31	March 1-15

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for chicken and chicken products made today under Announcement PY-259, Invitation 16, to be delivered from Feb. 16 to Feb. 28, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY259  
 COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN  
 INVITATION : 016  
 COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CUT-UP, FROZEN  
 PACK SIZE : 40 LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.  
 PLANT ADDRESS : ATHENS GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
002	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	20,000	\$ 0.5174
	MILTON	NY	20,000	\$ 0.5174
003	BIRMINGHAM	AL	21,840	\$ 0.5024
	CLANTON	AL	18,160	\$ 0.5024
005	CLANTON	AL	14,240	\$ 0.4974
	TUSCALOOSA	AL	25,760	\$ 0.4974
006	CLEVELAND	GA	24,000	\$ 0.4974
	CHATTANOOGA	TN	16,000	\$ 0.4974
008	KENNESAW	GA	30,000	\$ 0.4974
	MACON	GA	10,000	\$ 0.4974
009	BATESVILLE	MS	40,000	\$ 0.5062
010	JACKSON	MS	80,000	\$ 0.5062
011	SUMTER	SC	40,000	\$ 0.4999
012	BATESVILLE	MS	12,000	\$ 0.5062
	LEBANON	TN	28,000	\$ 0.5062
013	ALEXANDRIA	LA	40,000	\$ 0.5062
014	BATON ROUGE	LA	40,000	\$ 0.5087
015	HARAHAN	LA	40,000	\$ 0.5087

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016	AMARILLO TX	9,200	\$ 0.5299
	EL PASO TX	18,800	\$ 0.5299
	LUBBOCK TX	12,000	\$ 0.5299
017	HOUSTON TX	40,000	\$ 0.5193
018	SAN ANTONIO TX	40,000	\$ 0.5255

TOTAL AWARDED: 640,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: PERDUE FARMS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : DILLON SC

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
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004	CLANTON AL	80,000	\$ 0.4950
007	DOUGLAS GA	40,000	\$ 0.4950

TOTAL AWARDED: 120,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, BREADED COOKED FZN CP  
PACK SIZE : 30 LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.  
PLANT ADDRESS : SUMTER SC

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
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027	MIAMI PLANTATIO FL	78,000	\$ 1.2950

TOTAL AWARDED: 78,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY259  
COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN  
INVITATION : 016  
COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK SM  
PACK SIZE : 2 1/2 - 3 3/4 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.  
PLANT ADDRESS : SUMTER SC

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
044	SUMTER SC	252,000	\$ 0.4633

TOTAL AWARDED: 252,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : CARTHAGE TX

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
043	ROME GA	108,000	\$ 0.4675

PLANT ADDRESS : PINE BLUFF AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
042	PINE BLUFF AR	180,000	\$ 0.4675

TOTAL AWARDED: 288,000

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG  
PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: BARRIOS FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : CHATTANOOGA TN

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
048	CHATTANOOGA TN	36,000	\$ 0.4775

TOTAL AWARDED: 36,000

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COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG  
PACK SIZE : OVER 3.75 LB BULK PACK

CONTRACTOR NAME: CONAGRA POULTRY COMPANY  
PLANT ADDRESS : CLINTON AR

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
045	ROME	GA	288,000	\$ 0.4525

TOTAL AWARDED: 288,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.  
PLANT ADDRESS : DOUGLAS GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
045	ROME	GA	216,000	\$ 0.4474
047	GAINESVILLE	GA	72,000	\$ 0.4474

PLANT ADDRESS : BOAZ AL

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
046	BOAZ	AL	1,620,000	\$ 0.4454

TOTAL AWARDED: 1,908,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD'N PLUMP  
PLANT ADDRESS : COLD SPRING MN

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
045	ROME	GA	72,000	\$ 0.4420

TOTAL AWARDED: 72,000

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COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, FRESH/FROZEN BULK LG  
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CONTRACTOR NAME: SILVER WOLF ENTERPRISES  
PLANT ADDRESS : CHATTANOOGA TN

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
048	CHATTANOOGA TN	36,000	\$ 0.4765

TOTAL AWARDED: 36,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: TYSON FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : NEW HOLLAND PA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
050	NEW HOLLAND PA	1,656,000	\$ 0.4675 *See note.

TOTAL AWARDED: 1,656,000

**\*NOTE:** NO WEIGHT VARIATION WILL BE ALLOWED FOR PURCHASE UNITS UNDER THIS ITEM NUMBER. ANY PURCHASE UNIT WEIGHING LESS THAN 36,000 POUNDS WILL BE REJECTED.

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN, CHILLED, DRUMSTICKS  
PACK SIZE : BULK PACK

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PLANT ADDRESS : COLD SPRING MN

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
051	PINE BLUFF AR	72,000	\$ 0.2290

TOTAL AWARDED: 72,000

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